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## What are T<sub>E</sub>X and L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, and Friends?

## **T**<sub>E</sub>X **•** From Greek $\tau \epsilon \chi$

- ASCII TeX,  $/t\epsilon x/$ ,  $/t\epsilon k/$
- A computer typesetting system created by Donald Knuth
- for 'the creation of beautiful books'

## ■ ASCII LaTeX, /'lertɛx/, /'lertɛk/, /'lɑːtɛx/, /'lɑːtɛk/

- A document preparation system by Leslie Lamport
- Friends BibT<sub>E</sub>X, MakeIndex, METAFONT, METAPOST, ...
  - http://www.ctan.org/what\_is\_tex.html

## Donald Knuth (1938-)

- American computer scientist, mathematician, and professor emeritus at Stanford University
- Author of the multi-volume work The Art of Computer Programming
- "Father of the analysis of algorithms"

*"Science is what we understand well enough to explain to a computer. Art is everything else we do."* 

"If you optimize everything, you will always be unhappy."

## Leslie Lamport (1941-)

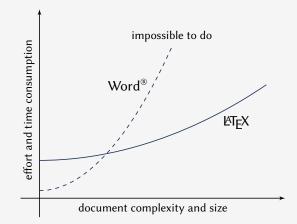
- American computer scientist
- Laid the foundations of the theory of distributed systems

"A distributed system is one in which the failure of a computer you didn't even know existed can render your own computer unusable." LATEX: More Than Just Academic Papers and Theses | What are TEX, LATEX and Friends?

## Typesetting and Word Processing Apples and Oranges

- Word processors
  - Replacement of mechanical typewriters
  - Word, OpenOffice, AbiWord, ...
- Typesetting and Desktop publishing
  - For publication and printing
  - InDesign, QuarkXPress, Scribus...

## Scalability



Scalability of LATEX and Microsoft Word® against document size and complexity (redrawn from Marko Pinteric's original at http://www.pinteric.com/miktex.html)

## Professional Typesetting Quality Output

- Typesetting quality and legibility
  - good kerning hinting and correct ligatures
  - inter-word, line and paragraph spacing
  - context-sensitive hyphenation

## Table fiery fluffy

This paper outlines an approach to produce a prototype WordNet system for Malay semi-automatically, by using bilingual dictionary data and resources provided by the original English WordNet system. Senses from an English-Malay bilingual dictionary were first aligned to English Word-Net senses, and a set of Malay synsets were then derived. Semantic relations between the English WordNet synsets were extracted and re-applied to the Malay synsits, using the aligned synsets as a guide. A small Malay WordNet prototype with 12429 noun synsets and 5805 verb synsets was thus produced. This prototype is a first step towards building a full-fledged Malay WordNet.

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Correct mathematical typesetting (spacing etc)

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## This is not a Word Processors vs LTEX debate.

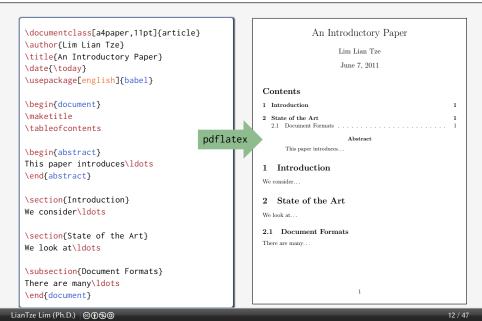
- It's a 'teaser' preview of an alternative tool.
- Some word processors also provide mechanisms to handle same routine tasks (with varying degrees of ease, consistency and stability)
- Use the best tool for the task at hand.
- You are the best judge to decide for yourself.

## How Do I Use It?

- Write a plain text LEX file (.tex)
- 2 Run it through pdflatex or xelatex → PDF output (or latex + dvips + ps2pdf for DVI + PS + PDF)
- **3** Run bibtex and/or makeindex to process bibliographies, indices
- 4 Re-run pdflatex to resolve references and pointers

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## Example .tex File



## Where Do I Get It?

Online Overleaf (www.overleaf.com)

Windows MikTFX, TFX Live Un\*x, GNU/Linux TFX Live Mac OS X MacTFX (based on TFX Live) Installation Use your OS' package manager (or download manually) Editors vi, emacs, Texmaker, TeXworks, Texstudio, TeXshop... **LATEX** Packages Use MikTEX or TEX Live's package manager Documentation (Online) http://texdoc.net/pkg/<packagename> (TFX Live) \$ texdoc <package name>

(MikTEX) \$ mthelp <package name>

## Easy to Learn, Hard to Master

- Customising may not be straightforward (vs word processors)
- Intentionally so: Style guidelines should be followed strictly
  - Publisher/organisation provides document class or style files
  - Use these to take care of formatting and styling, focus on the content

# So, What Can LATEX Do?

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## **Basic Types**

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\title{...}

#### \begin{document}

\maketitle

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\section{...}
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\subsection{...}
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#### \end{document}

A Wonderful Read

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Third item in a list
Fourth item in a list
Fourth item in a list
Fifth item in a list

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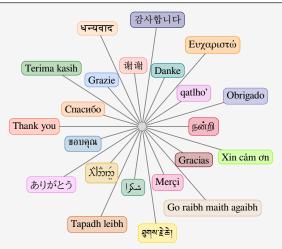
Record item is a list.

Recent item in a list Recent item in a list Recent item in a list

## Journal and Conference Proceedings Articles

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# Multilingual LATEX



XJETEX, LualETEX Unicode input

KIEX Various packages (sometimes with transcriptions: nan^ri, salAm)

## **University Theses**

#### Universiti Sains Malaysia \documentclass{usmthesis}

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## Highly Configurable Documents memoir and KOMA-Script Classes

- Sectional headings
- Running headers and footers
- Good font, colour and illustration choices
- http://latex-my.blogspot.com/search/label/bookdesign



## **Presentation Slides**

- This presentation was made with LATEX!
- Many possible classes: powerdot, beamer

```
\documentclass{beamer}
\usetheme{Warsaw}
\author ...
\begin{document}
\titleframe
\section{Intro}
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Some Background}
. . .
\end{frame}
\end{document}
```

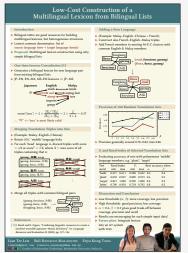


## **Oversized Posters**

### Many possible solutions:

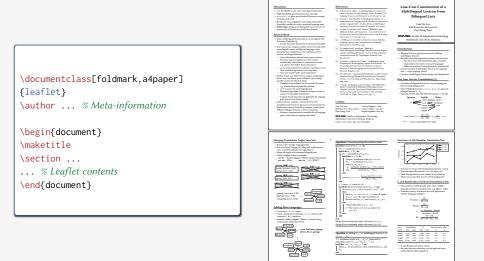
sciposter, flowfram, beamerposter, tikzposter

```
\documentclass{beamer}
\usepackage[orientation=portrait,size=a0]
  {beamerposter}
\usetheme{...}
\author ... % Meta-information
\begin{document}
\begin{frame}
... % Poster contents goes here
\end{frame}
\end{document}
```



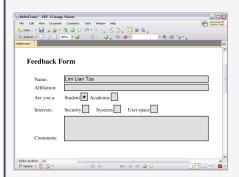
## Leaflets

leaflet: arrange contents into 6 pages on a foldable double-sided sheet

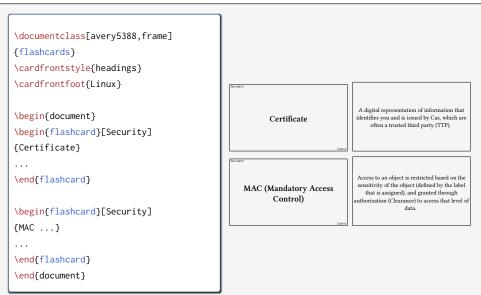


## Fillable PDF Forms

```
\usepackage{hyperref}
... % various settings skipped
\TextField{Name:}\\
\TextField{Affiliation:}\\
\ChoiceMenu[radio=true]
{Are you a: }{Student, Academic}//
Interest:
\CheckBox{Security}
\CheckBox{Systems}
\CheckBox{User space}\\
\TextField[multiline=true]
{Comments:}\\
```



## Flash Cards



## **Examination Paper**

#### \documentclass{exam}

```
. . .
```

```
\begin{questions}\printanswers
\question[5]
What is Paul McCartney's middle name?
\begin{oneparchoices}
\choice John \CorrectChoice Paul
\choice Ringo \choice James
\end{oneparchoices}
```

```
\question[10] What was the Beatles' first single
in 1962?
\begin{solution}Love Me Do\end{solution}
```

# \question \begin{parts} \part[5] What was George's inspiration for `While My Guitar Gently Weeps'? \begin{solution} He opened a random book and saw the words ``gently weep''. \end{solution} ... \end{questions}

	What is Paul McCartney's middle name? A. John <b>B. Paul</b> C. Ringo D. James	(5
2.	What was the Beatles' first single in 1962?	(10
	Solution: Love Me Do	
3.	(a) What was George's inspiration for 'While My Guitar Gently Weeps'?	(5
	<b>Solution:</b> He opened a random book and saw the words "gently weep".	
	(b) Who guest-performed for the song and why?	(5
	<b>Solution:</b> Eric Clapton; he wanted a spiffy guitar solo.	

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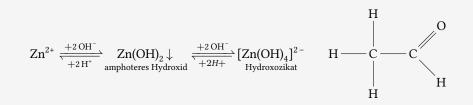
## Mathematics

(1) relates the golden ratio and the Fibonacci series. Recall that the golden ratio,  $\varphi = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \sqrt{5})$ .

$$\varphi = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{F_n F_{n+1}}$$
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## **Chemical Equations and Molecules**



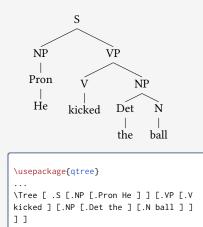
```
\usepackage[version=3]{mhchem} % sufficient for chemical equations
\usepackage{chemfig} % for 2-D molecule drawings
...
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<=> C[+20H-][{+ 2H+}]
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```
\chemfig{H-C(-[2]H)(-[6]H)-C(-[7]H)=[1]0}
```

# Linguistics

%\*Wen liebt seine Mutter?
 Whom loves his mother
 'Who does his mother

```
\usepackage{linguex,qtree}
...
\ex
\beging1
\gla \%_*Wen liebt seine Mutter?//
\glb Whom loves his mother//
\glc `Who does his mother love?'//
\endg1
\xe
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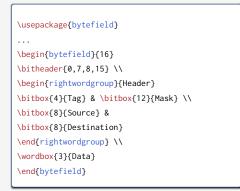


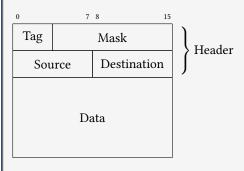
# **Program Listings**

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\usepackage{listings,xcolor}
. . .
\begin{lstlisting}
[language=C.columns=fullflexible,
basicstyle=\ttfamily,
keywordstyle=\bfseries\color{red},
commentstyle=\sffamily\color{green},
stringstyle=\rmfamily\color{orange}]
#include <stdio.h>
/*
 | Prints "hello world"
 */
int main(void)
{
    printf("hello, world\n");
    return 0:
}
\end{lstlisting}
```

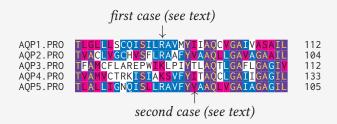
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#include <stdio.h>
/*
    | Prints "hello world"
    */
int main(void)
{
    printf("hello,_world\n");
    return 0;
}
```

## **Network Protocols**



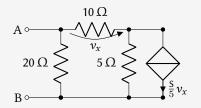


## Life Sciences



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\usepackage{texshade} % for nucleotide and peptide alignments
...
\begin{texshade}{AQPpro.MSF.txt}
\shadingmode{similar}
\threshold[80]{50}
\setends{1}{80..112}
\hideconsensus
\feature{top}{1}{93..93}{fill:$\downarrow$}{first case (see text)}
\feature{bottom}{1}{98..98}{fill:$\uparrow$}{second case (see text)}
\end{texshade}
```

## Circuits and SI Units



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40 km/h, 85 km/h and 103 km/h
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\usepackage{siunitx}
\usepackage[siunitx]{circuitikz}
...
\begin{circuitikz}
\draw (0,0) node[anchor=east] {B}
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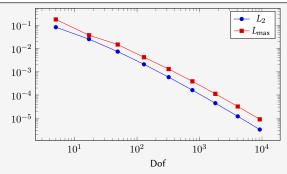
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## Bar Codes



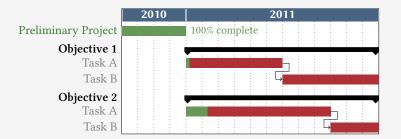
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\usepackage{auto-pst-pdf} % Needed if running pdflatex; must use option -shell-escape
\usepackage{pstricks,pst-barcode}
....
\begin{pspicture}
\psbarcode{MECARD:N:Malaysia Open Source Conference...}{eclevel=L}{qrcode}
\psbarcode{MECARD:N:Malaysia Open Source Conference...}{eclevel=L}{qrcode}
\psbarcode{9781860742712}{includetext guardwhitespace}{ean13}
\psbarcode{978-3-86541-114}{includetext guardwhitespace}{isbn}
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\end{pspicture}
```

## **Graph Plots**



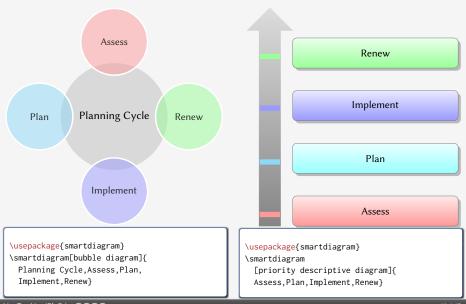
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\usepackage{pgfplots}
...
\begin{tikzpicture}
\begin{loglogaxis}[xlabel=Dof]
\addplot table[x=dof,y=L2]{datafile.dat}; \addlegendentry{$L_2$};
\addplot table[x=dof,y=Lmax]{datafile.dat}; \addlegendentry{$L_\text{max}};
\end{loglogaxis}
\end{tikzpicture}
```

## Gantt Charts

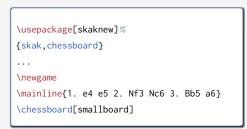


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\usepackage{pgfgantt}
...
\begin{ganttchart][...settings...]{1}{16}
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\ganttbar[progress=100]{Preliminary Project}{1}{4} \\
\ganttbar[progress=4, name=T1A]{Task A}{5}{10} \\
\ganttlinkedbar[progress=0]{Task B}{11}{16} \\
...
\end{ganttchart}
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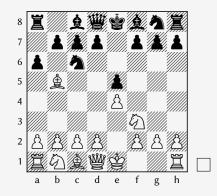
## 'Smart Diagrams'



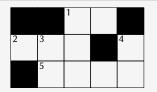
## Chess games



## 1 e4 e5 2 🖄 f3 🖄 c6 3 🛓 b5 a6



## **Crossword Puzzles**



Across: 1 unit of measure 2 \* 5 sectioning unit

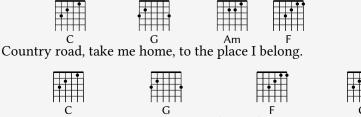
**Down:** 1  $\eta$  3 unit of measure 4 nonproportional font

```
\usepackage{cwpuzzle}
```

```
\begin{Puzzle}{5}{3}
|* |* |[1]E|X |* |.
[[2]A|[3]S|T |* |[4]T|.
|* |[5]P|A |R |T |.
\end{Puzzle}
\begin{PuzzleClues}{
 \textbf{Across:} }
```

```
\Clue{1}{EX}{unit of measure}
\Clue{2}{AST}{\(\ast\)}
\Clue{5}{PART}{sectioning unit}
\end{PuzzleClues}
\begin{PuzzleClues}{
\textbf{Down:} }
\Clue{1}{ETA}{\(\eta\)}
\Clue{3}{SP}{unit of measure}
\Clue{4}{TT}{nonproportional font}
\end{PuzzleClues}
```

## Song Books with Guitar Tabs



West Virginia, mountain momma, take me home, country road.

```
\usepackage{gchords,guitar}
....
\begin{guitar}
\newcommand{\CMaj}{\chord{t}{n,p3,p2,n,p1,n}{C}}
\newcommand{\Amin}...
Country [\CMaj]road, take me [\GMaj]home, ...
\end{guitar}
```

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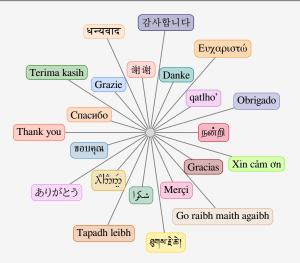
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